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PART IV.

Official Papers.

Season Report for the week ending Saturday, the 29th September 1894.

Districts.	Rain-fall at—	Present week.		Corresponding week of last year.		Price of food grains in seers per Rupee; and marked fluctuations in the prices of food grains.	Market how supplied.	Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable out-turn of the harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.	Prospects of Season; tracts in which the rain-fall has been insufficient; areas affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.	Public Health.	Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, &c.
angalore ...	Bangalore C. & M. Stn. ...	...	8	...	...	This week. Past week.	Well.	Standing crops are reported to be in good condition. Paddy, little panicle, horse-gram and wild gingelly were sown in parts. Potatoes were harvested.	Prospects of season fair. More rain is wanted.	Generally good.	Water and pasturage procurable. Cattle healthy.
	„ City & Tk....	...	...	3	25	Seers. Seers.					
	Hoskote ...	...	30	4	...	Rice 9¼ 9½.					
	Dodballapur ...	...	26	4	28	Ragi 28½ 28½.					
	Nelamangala ...	...	4	1	88	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Kankanhalli ...	...	32	2	15	Horse-					
	Magadi ...	...	...	2	32	gram 22½ 22½.					
	Channapatna ...	1	55	1	14	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Anekal ...	...	...	1	25						
	Devanhalli ...	...	...	3	...						
	Closepet ...	...	25	4	75						
Kolar ...	Kolar ...	...	...	2	9	Rice 10 to 13¼ 9½ to 12½.	Do	Standing crops are in good condition.	Prospects of season good. Rain is badly wanted.	Do	Water and fodder procurable.
	Bowringpet ...	...	...	1	45	Ragi 28 to 35 26 to 35.					
	Chintamani ...	...	...	4	70	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Mulbagal ...	...	...	1	95	Horse-					
	Sidlaghatta ...	...	...	1	33	gram 17 to 23 18 to 23.					
	Chikballapur ...	...	...	2	16	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Bagepalli ...	...	...	2	...						
	Goribidnur ...	..	...	1	65						
	Malur ..	...	...	7	10						
	Srinivaspur ...	...	...	2	48						
	Gudibanda ...	...	...	2	28						
Tumkur ...	Tumkur ...	...	5	2	4	Rice 9 to 12 9 to 12.	Do	Standing crops are generally withering and in need of rain. Sugar-cane and paddy were harvested. Horse-gram and wild gingelly were sown in parts.	Prospects of season doubtful.	Do	Cattle healthy. Water and fodder generally available. But date leaves are being used as fodder in parts.
	Maddagiri ...	...	...	3	50	Ragi 25 to 36 25 to 36.					
	Chiknayakanhalli.	...	..	...	10	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Sira ...	...	...	...	75	Horse-					
	Gubbi ...	...	...	3	...	gram 18 to 25 18 to 24.					
	Tiptur ...	...	15	...	65	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Pavagada ...	...	...	4	30						

	Pavagada ...	...	...	...	...					
	Kunigal ...	...	18	2	70					
	Koratagere ...	...	...	...	...					
	Turuvekere ...	...	...	2	5					
	Huliyar ...	...	...	1	11					
Mysore ..	Mysore ...	...	...	...	...	Rice 8 to 10 8 to 10.	Do	Standing crops are withering for want of rain.	Prospects of season fair.	Do	Cattle generally in good condition. Water and fodder ample.
	Chamrajnagar ...	...	...	...	...	Ragi 23 to 29½ 22 to 30.					
	Seringapatam ...	...	...	6	25	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Hunsur ...	...	...	...	...	Horse-					
	Yedatore ...	...	...	4	35	gram 21 to 25 18 to 28.					
	Heggaddevankote. ...	...	...	1	48	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Gundlupet ...	...	...	2	38						
	Nanjangud ...	...	...	...	...						
	T. Narsipur ...	...	...	2	55						
	Malvalli ...	...	...	...	...						
	Mandya ...	...	7	2	36						
	Krishnarajpete ...	...	...	...	78						
	Nagamangala ...	...	...	3	22						
Hassan ...	Hassan ...	...	...	2	86	Rice 8½ to 9½ 9 to 10½.	Do	Standing crops, *viz.*, sugar-cane, paddy, pigeon pea, cow gram, castor beans, horse-gram, gingelly, black gram, chillies, &c., are withering for want of rain in all Taluks.	Rain-fall is insufficient and the standing crops need rain.	Do	Fodder and water for cattle are sufficient. Murrain is prevalent in certain parts of the District.
	Manjarabad ...	...	...	4	5	Ragi 28 32.					
	Arkalgud ...	...	17	3	59	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Belur ...	...	...	4	42	Horse-gram 20 23.					
	Channarayapatna. ...	...	...	2	47	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Arsikere ...	...	...	3	52	No marked fluctuations in the					
	Holé-Narsipur ...	...	15	2	34	prices of food grains.					
	Alur Sub-Taluk. ...	...	...	...	...						
Shimoga ..	Shimoga ..	...	22	4	11	Rice 10 to 14 10 to 14.	Do	Standing crops are in good condition in the Malnad though in need of rain in parts, but in Maidan parts they are withering. Arecanut gathered. Horse-gram, Italian millet and little millet were sown.	Prospects of season fair. Rain is needed especially in the Maidan Taluks.	Do	Fair.
	Chanagiri ...	...	...	1	76	Ragi 21½ to 36 22 to 36.					
	Honnali ...	...	2	2	31	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Shikarpur ...	...	...	1	39	Jola 21 to 30 21 to 30.					
	Sorab ...	...	17	1	87	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
	Sagar ...	...	...	1	2						
	Nagar ...	...	5	2	6						
	Tirthahalli ...	...	23	2	78½						
	Kumsi ...	...	...	3	2						
Kadur ..	Chikmagalur ...	...	...	3	85	Rice 8 to 13½ 7½ to 14.	Do	Standing crops, *viz.*, paddy, ragi, sugar-cane, cow gram, jola, &c., are generally in good condition. Coffee, arecanut, &c., are doing well in Malnad parts of the District. The dry and wet crops are in need of rain in Maidan parts of the District, especially in Kadur and parts of the Chikmagalur Taluks.	Prospects of season generally good. Rain-fall is insufficient. State of food stocks fair.	Do	Cattle healthy. Water and fodder are generally available. Murrain is prevalent in Kadur Taluk.
	Kadur ...	...	...	4	9	Ragi 23 to 34 23 to 34.					
	Tarikere ...	...	...	2	...	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Koppa ...	...	72	...	...	Horse-					
	Mudgere ...	...	8	6	18	gram 16 to 20 16 to 20.					
	Yedahalli ..	...	...	...	...	(*Ciser arietinum.*)					
	Sringeri ..	...	...	...	...						
Chitaldroog.	Chitaldroog ...	...	...	1	44	Rice 7 to 12 9 to 12.	Do	Standing crops are withering for want of rain. Jola, sesamum, and black gram were harvested in some parts. Out-turn 2 to 4 anna crop.	Prospects of season unchanged. Rain insufficient.	Do	Fodder and pasture available. But date leaves are used as fodder in some parts. Murrain is prevalent in some parts.
	Challakere ...	...	...	1	64	Ragi 28 to 36 27 to 40.					
	Hiriyur ...	...	...	4	80	(*Eleusine corocana.*)					
	Holalkere ...	...	...	4	84	Jola 25 to 28 24 to 30.					
	Davangere ...	...	...	5	22	(*Sorghum vulgare.*)					
	Molakalmuru ...	...	...	2	80						
	Jagalur ...	...	...	3	86						
	Hosdurga ...	...	...	2	26						
	Harihar ...	...	...	3	95						

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